From:

Community Support and Services Committee

Subject:

REJECTION OF THE PUBLIC HEALTH AND OTHER LEGISLATION (EXTENSION OF EXPIRING PROVISIONS)

AMENDMENT BILL 2022 (BILL)

Date:

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Dear Committee Secretary,

I wish to share my decline in support of this bill and the extension of the State of Emergency.

The passing of this Bill will only continue to add more devastation to the people of Queensland including families, business', our younger generations and working class as it has seen over the past 2 years.

The means of the State of Emergency powers were, for my understanding for sudden and urgent circumstances. We know that the current situation regarding Covid-19 is no longer an urgent or sudden threat. The initial use of those powers and everything that has been put in place now needs to be left up to the Australian people to manage. The over use of power this State of Emergency gives politicians within our government, is beginning to become concerning and prolonged more than necessary. We start to question for what reasons?

Therefore, I REJECT the BILL and the Extension of the QLD STATE OF EMERGENCY. I really hope the committee takes into account that the people are growing very tired and frustrated and we say enough is enough.

Regards,

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